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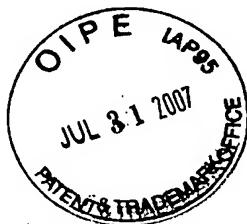
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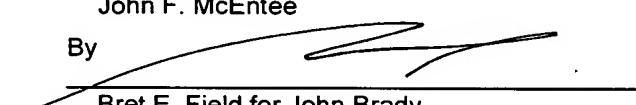
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Application Number	10/691,037
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated May 7, 2007, for which a three-month period for response was given making this response due by August 7, 2007. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

In view of the remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.